



Docket No. 5000-4963

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s) : Masakatsu Masaki

Serial No : 09/982,035

Group Art Unit: 1734

Filed : October 17, 2001

Examiner: Koch, George R.

FOR : WORKPIECE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHODS

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested

☒ is filed herewith.

☐ has been filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.

☐ Statement has already been filed

4. 

	Total Months <u>Requested</u>	Fee for Other <u>than Small Entity</u>	Fee for <u>Small Entity</u>
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a. ☐ one month \$120.00 \$60.00

b. ☒ two months \$450.00 \$225.00

c. ☐ three months \$1,020.00 \$510.00

d. ☐ four months \$1,590.00 \$795.00

e. ☐ five months \$2,160.00 \$1,080.00

f. ☐ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$ \_\_\_\_\_), minus the fee previously paid (\$ \_\_\_\_\_) equals \$\_\_\_\_\_ (total fee due).

5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.

6. ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_, Order No. \_\_\_\_\_. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 5000-4963. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: April 26, 2005

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